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Submitted herewith for filing in connection with the above-captioned application is a Response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2007.

No fee is believed due for this submission. If a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, Deposit Account **11-0600**.

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In response to the Office Action of September 25, 2007 , kindly amend the above-captioned application without prejudice as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.